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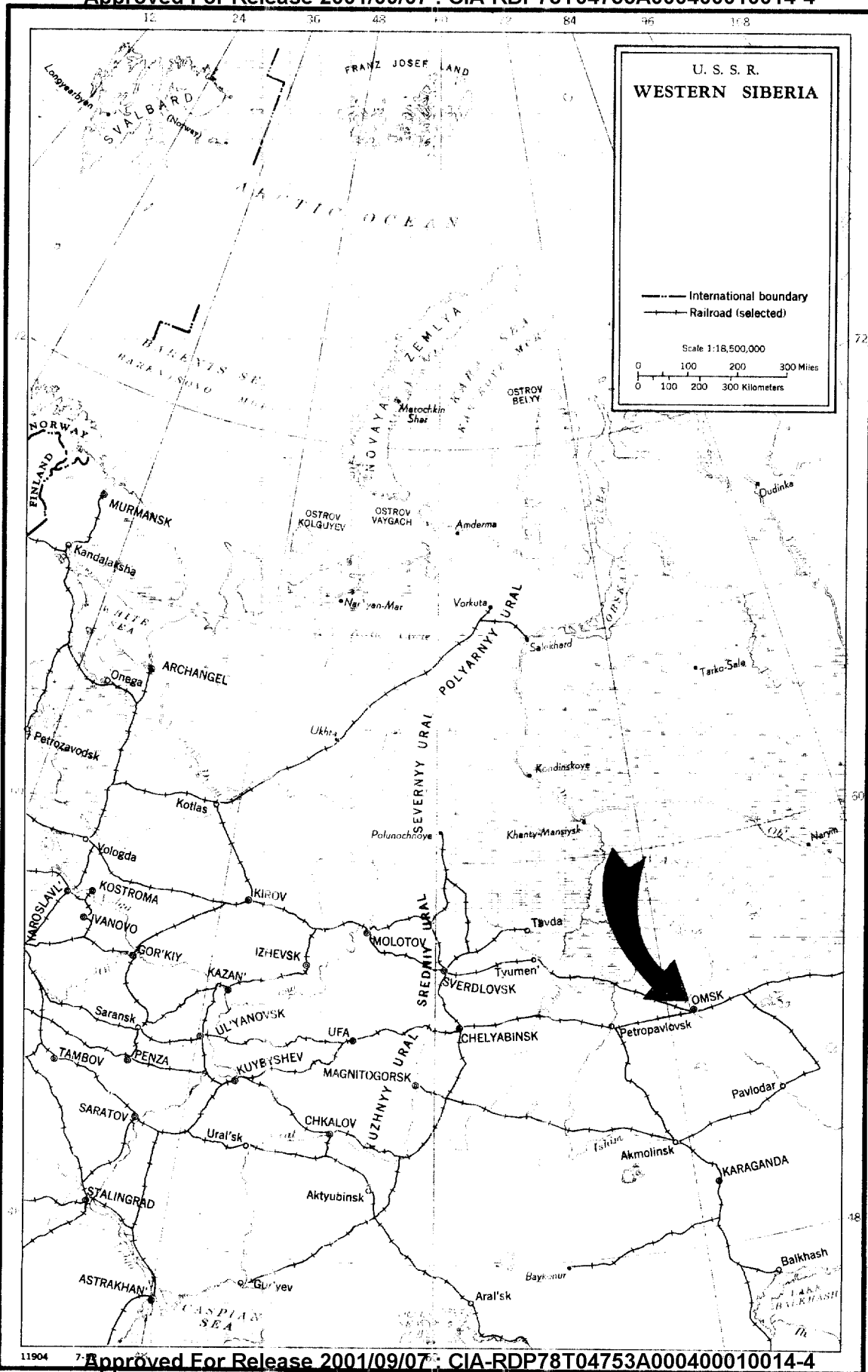
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## RUBBER PRODUCTS PLANT

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The Omsk Rubber Products Plant, a major USSR rubber tire producer, is located in the southeast outskirts of Omsk. In addition to producing rubber tires for the motor vehicle industry, collateral sources also indicate that this plant supplies aircraft tires to the adjoining Omsk Aircraft Plant and special rubber parts to the nearby Omsk Tank Plant "Voroshilov" 174.

The plant area consists of two sections, a main plant and a probably associated installation immediately north of the main plant. The entire plant area is roughly rectangular in shape, measures approximately 4400' x 1400', and is completely enclosed by a high fence or wall and protected by guard towers. Signs of plant expansion are very evident. Five large buildings are under construction and quantities of construction material are stored in the open at several locations within the plant area. The plant is both road and rail served. Three spur lines lead into the compound from the railroad directly south of the plant area.

The major components of the Omsk rubber products plant are identified on the following photograph and described in the accompanying annotations.

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### KEY TO ANNOTATIONS

1. Production-type building, multi-story, 235' x 100', with an attached single-story building, 100' x 50'. A line of freight cars is observed along east side of building.
2. Rubber processing building, single-story. Light steel frame, with modified monitor roof, 750' x 220'. Milling, calendering, extruding and vulcanization operations take place within this large building.
3. Storage shed, 65' x 45'.
4. Storage building, 140' x 45'.
5. New processing building in final stages of construction, multi-story, 450' x 120'.
6. Raw material storage building, single story, L-shaped, 290' x 85', with wing 175' x 80'. A large conveyor, 90' x 15', leads from this building to the rubber processing building (No. 2).
7. Steam plant, 185' x 85', with monitor roof, two stacks.
8. Coal storage area, 480' x 185'. Conveyor leads to adjacent steam plant.
9. New processing building in early stages of construction, 250' x 65'.
10. Storage shed, 90' x 25'.
11. Storage building, 160' x 70'.
12. Unidentified L-shaped building, single-story, high gable roof, 90' x 40', with wing 65' x 40'.
13. Storage building, 130' x 25'.
14. Material or equipment stored in the open and covered by tar paper or canvas.

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15. Storage building, 150' x 25'.
16. Storage building, 185' x 35'.
17. New single-story, flat-roofed, probable storage building, 160' x 120', in advanced stage of construction. Building divided into six equally spaced longitudinal bays.
18. Unidentified two-story, flat-roofed, L-shaped building, 65' x 40', with wing 25' x 25'. Four vents on south side of roof. Has an attached one-story shed, 70' x 15'.
19. Probable processing building in initial stages of construction. Ground dimensions are approximately 400' x 100'.
20. Vehicle parking. Trucks in this park probably used for the new construction.
21. Maintenance building, single-story, 100' x 40'.
22. Final processing and storage building, multi-story, 390' x 105'. Two lines of freight cars are observed along the east side of building.
23. Vulcanizing building, multi-story, 295' x 145'. Has steam line connection with heating plant.
24. Production-type building, single-story, 135' x 80', with wing [REDACTED]. Building has three skylights and numerous vents.
25. Calendering and molding building, multi-story, monitor roof, 450' x 195'. Has two conveyors 95' x 25' connecting with the vulcanizing building (No. 23).
26. Workshop building, single-story, monitor roof, 200' x 90'.
27. Administration building, L-shaped, multi-story, gable roof, 195' x 50', with wing, 50' x 50'.

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28. Administration buildings. Two single-story buildings, 85' x 40' each.
29. Milling and rubber processing building, single-story, monitor roof, 410' x 105', with two attached sheds, 50' x 20' each. A conveyor, 95' x 25', connects with the calendering building (No. 25).
30. Storage building, 365' x 145', with open storage on west side of building. The following annotations describe the probably associated installation located immediately north of the main plant, which is connected to the main plant by a single rail spur.
31. Workshop building, single story, 175' x 60'.
32. Production-type building, multi-story, 515' x 130'.
33. Administration buildings, one multi-story building 120' x 45' and a single-story structure 40' x 20'.
34. Storage building, 110' x 30'.
35. Workshop building, single story, flat roof with row of vents, 105' x 50'.
36. Workshop building, single story, flat roof with row of vents, 135' x 40'.
37. Storage shed, 115' x 25'.
38. Heating plant, 60' x 100', single story, one stack.
39. Storage building, single story, 250' x 75'.
40. Storage building, 150' x 25'.
41. New processing building under construction, 320' x 85'.

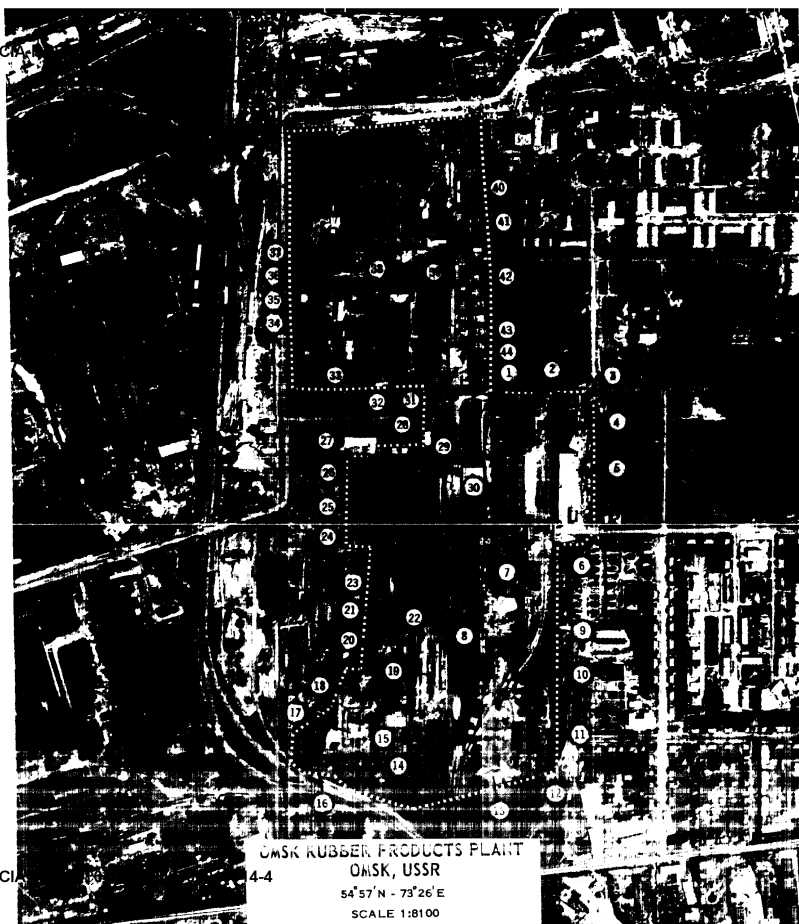


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- 42. Storage building, 135' x 25'.
- 43. Storage building, 145' x 25'.
- 44. Storage building, 65' x 25'.

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